

November 21, 2021

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King

# SAINT PATRICK

## ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH



### ADMINISTRATOR

Rev. Allen P. Zeth .....(814) 695-3413

**OFFICE HOURS:**.....Monday - Friday:.....9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

### SAINT PATRICK PARISH EDUCATION CENTER

Principal ..... Mrs. Tara Steinbugl

Administrative Assistant.....Mrs. Shelley Kauffman

School Office .....(814) 695-3819

Director of Religious Education .....Mrs. Patty Troutwein

Religious Education ..... (814) 515-7100

### MASS SCHEDULE

Monday - Friday ..... 8:00 AM

Saturday (*Anticipated*) .....4:30 PM

Sunday .....7:00 AM, 11:00 AM

Holy Days of Obligation .....Vigil Mass 6:30 PM

On the Holy Day: 10:30 AM & 6:00 PM

### BAPTISM

The celebration of Baptism is a moment of Grace for those to be Baptized, for their Families, as well as for the entire Parish Community. For information and registration for preparation classes (if needed) please call the Parish Office at 695-3413 to file a Baptismal Record Form. A Family must be registered a minimum of six months in advance.

### PENANCE

Saturday at Noon. Anytime upon request, or by appointment.

*(Penance Services are held in the Advent & Lenten Seasons.)*

### CONFIRMATION

Young Adults may be Confirmed in 11th Grade after a preparation period.

### ADULT INQUIRY

Wanting to join or just learn more about the Catholic Faith? Classes begin in October, Contact Patty Troutwein at 814-515-7100

### MARRIAGE

Those who wish to be married in the Parish must have a current Parish Registration. The Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown requires a nine (9) month period of preparation to complete Pre-Cana, Natural Family Planning, and FOCCUS Sessions. PLEASE DO NOT SET A DATE IN ADVANCE until you have spoken to the Pastor.

### ANOINTING OF THE SICK & VISITATION

Please call the Parish Office if you or a member of your Family are hospitalized, confined at home, or if the Sacrament of Anointing is requested.

### PARISH MEMBERSHIP

This requires holding a current registration; regular participation at Mass on Sundays & Holy Days of Obligation; and support of the work of the Parish through *Stewardship*: Financial Support in the Regular Collection and the giving of one's Time and Talent in Parish Sponsored Activities (*Bingo, Festival, Dinners, etc.*)

**BINGO** - Monday & Saturday. Doors open at 4:30

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### OUR MISSION

We the Church of Newry under the title of SAINT PATRICK are a Faith Community guided by the Holy Spirit. We are called by God to nourish our Faith in Christ and share it with others. As a Eucharistic People we are led to care for one another and extend our Faith by sincerely living it.



As we enter this week in which we give thanks to God for our abundant blessings, I would like to reassure you, as the parishioners of St. Patrick Parish, of my deepest appreciation for each and every one of you. I constantly lift up you and your intentions in my prayers, as I did last week while on retreat. Now as we approach Thanksgiving, I am truly thankful for all the blessings that each and every one of you have brought into my life.

Thanksgiving Day Mass will be celebrated here in the parish at 9:00 AM. Let us join together in our Eucharistic celebration to give praise and worship to our God for all our fellow parishioners. You will have plenty of time to get your turkey in the oven and return home in time to start basting it. May God bless you and your loved ones who gather at your table, or may you know God's blessing if you are at your table alone.

**Another step to Liturgical normalcy:** As we prepare to enter the Advent season, let's return a few things back into our Masses. I would like to get one server to volunteer for each Mass; Lectors, let's have you process in with the Book of Gospels; and, if we could get four volunteers to usher at the 4:30 pm Mass on Saturday and the 7 am Mass on Sundays. We can return these ministries on the 1st Sunday of Advent.

**Sunday, November 21** is the last day to sign up for the Christmas Dinner at the Spring House Restaurant in Roaring Spring. The dinner is on Wednesday, December 1 at 1:30 pm. We ask that you bring a non-perishable item with you. You can order off the menu and you are responsible for paying for your meal. Anyone can attend. Any questions, call Ruth Keller at 814-695-5328 or 814-330-0302.

**Saturday, November 27**  
**Eucharistic Minister - 4:30 - Sarah Gonsman**  
**Lector - Joe Dumm**

**Sunday, November 28**  
**Eucharistic Minister - 7:00 - Angela Martz**  
**Lector - Jim Glunt**

**Eucharist Minister - 11:00 - Steve Wilson**  
**Lector - Stu Sibold**

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 21, 2021**

Sunday: Dn 7:13-14/Ps 93:1, 1-2, 5 [1a]/Rv 1:5-8/  
 Jn 18:33b-37  
 Monday: Dn 1:1-6, 8-20/Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56 [52b]/  
 Lk 21:1-4  
 Tuesday: Dn 2:31-45/Dn 3:57, 58, 59, 60, 61 [59b]/  
 Lk 21:5-11  
 Wednesday: Dn 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28/Dn 3:62, 63, 64,  
 65, 66, 67 [59b]/Lk 21:12-19  
 Thursday: Dn 6:12-28/Dn 3:68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74  
 [59b]/Lk 21:20-28  
 Friday: Dn 7:2-14/Dn 3:75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81/  
 Lk 21:29-33  
 Saturday: Dn 7:15-27/Dn 3:82 83, 84, 85, 86, 87/  
 Lk 21:34-36

**Weekly Offering**  
**The Collection at a Glance**  
**(07/01/21 - 06/30/22)**

Actual Offering November 14.....\$4,851.50  
 Budgeted Weekly Offering.....\$5,890.00  
 Variance.....(\$1,038.50)  
 Actual Year-to-Date Offering .....\$123,404.44  
 Budgeted Year-to-Date Offering .....\$117,800.00  
 Variance..... \$5,604.44

October Collection - Building Fund.....\$ 1,355.00  
 October Collection - School Fund.....\$ 2,193.00

**Catholic Ministries Drive 2021**  
**Stewardship Office report: Jan 1 thru Oct 15, 2021**  
**\$ 22,995.00**  
**October Parish Collection**  
**\$ 1,240.00**  
**\$ 24,235.00**

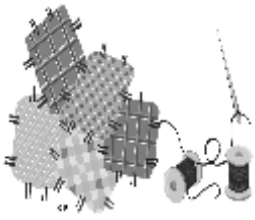
**Parish Goal: \$34,943.00**  
**Balance Remaining: \$10,708.00**



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 an advertisement in the parish's weekly  
 bulletin.



**St. Patrick's Quilters** - A quilt raffle to benefit our school will begin on November 13. The **Grand Prize** is a queen size **Dresden Plate Design Quilt** and **1st Place** is a **Christmas Wall Hanging** entitled "Snow Much Fun."

Tickets are \$5 each or 3 for \$10. The winners will be drawn after the 11:00 Mass on Sunday, December 19. Quilt chances can be returned in the collection basket or given to any of St. Pat's Quilters. Thank you for supporting us.

**Hoodies for the Homeless**

Winter is just around the corner and you can help the St. Vincent de Paul Society to share some warmth with the homeless souls in our community. We are in need of **adult sized hooded sweatshirts, slightly worn or new.** We will be collecting them from now until the end of November. Please place them in the box in the church vestibule. Thank you for your continued generosity to the poor and needy and may God Bless You!

**Pro-Life Christmas Cards Available!**

**Citizens Concerned for Human Life, Blair County Chapter, has Christmas cards available for purchase. Two beautiful designs are offered, one depicts the Nativity scene and the other pictures the Infant Jesus. The cost is \$7 for a package of 11 cards. Your purchase will help support the pro-life work of CCHL in Blair County. For more information, call Pat at 814-946-0681.**

The Altoona Ambucs will be collecting non-perishable food items during the Hollidaysburg Christmas parade on Sunday, November 21 at 2:00 pm. All food items will be donated to the American Rescue Mission for distribution to those who are in need. Please be generous, as the need continues to grow.



**Our Giving Tree** will be going up the 1st Sunday of Advent. If you know of any family in need of assistance this holiday season, please call Kim Smith at 814-934-0050. We will also be helping the residents of Autumn Estates. Thank you in advance for your participation.

**The pumpkin rolls can be picked up Saturday, November 20 after the 4:30 PM Mass and after the 7:00 AM and 11:00 AM Masses on Sunday, November 21.**

**Can you help?**

The St. Patrick Scrip Fundraising Program has a few vendor cards that have not been on the "most wanted" list for purchasing. Can you help us by purchasing these cards so we may removed them from our weekly inventory? This does not mean they won't be available for future purchases; but are and will be available on the "Delay" form for your convenience.

Thank you for your continued support of St. Patrick's through this valuable fundraiser.

<u>Qty</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Denomination</u>	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Denomination</u>
7	Red Robin	\$25	4	Subway	\$10
1	Olive Garden	\$25	2	Long John Silvers	\$10
3	Ace Hardware	-\$25	5	Domino's Pizza	-\$10
2	Outback	\$25	2	Denny's	-\$10
			3	Dunkin Donuts	-\$10



**Scrip for Christmas:** Everyone loves to receive a gift card at Christmas! The recipient gets to pick whatever they really want and it omits the hassle and guesswork for you! Please consider buying gift cards through our Scrip Program. Order forms are available at the front entrance of the church. As always, thank you for supporting St. Patrick Church.



**November 22**  
Samuel Dunning

**November 25**  
Helen Lipko

**November 23**  
Jean Gelbke  
Brinton Howard  
Erin Isenberg  
Theresa Lonero  
Gary Smith

**November 27**  
Laurie Becker  
Joy Dodson  
James Hodge

**November 24**  
Cara Huttenlocher  
Danielle Maurer  
Aidan Sweeney

**November 28**  
Ann Benton  
Jacquelyn Claar  
Anna Lefchick  
Susanna Rossman



Monday, November 22, 2021

**ST. CECELIA, VIRGIN & MARTYR**

8:00 AM DORIE SIMPSON  
(by Bill Nelson Family)

Tuesday, November 23, 2021

**ST. CLEMENT I, POPE & MARTYR;  
ST. COLUMBAN, ABBOT; BLESSED MIGUEL  
AUGUSTIN PRO, PRIEST & MARTYR**

8:00 AM MARIE WITTMER  
(by Gavin Little Family)

Wednesday, November 24, 2021

**ST. ANDREW DUNG-LAC, PRIEST & COMPAN-  
IONS, MARTYRS**

8:00 AM CHRIS GSCHWENDTNER  
(by Mom & Dad)

Thursday, November 25, 2021

**ST. CATHERINE OF ALEXANDRIA, VIRGIN &  
MARTYR; THANKSGIVING DAY**

9:00 AM IN THANKSGIVING

Friday, November 26, 2021

**FRIDAY IN THE 34TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME**

8:00 AM AUDREY GLASS  
(by Mary Hetrick)

Saturday, November 27, 2021

**BLESSED VIRGIN MARY**

4:30 PM DENNIS & FLORENCE KOVACH  
(by Children)

Sunday, November 28, 2021

**FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

7:00 AM FOR THE PEOPLE

11:00 AM PAUL WILL  
(by wife, Tracey & Family)



**In your prayers,** please remember to pray for the safety and well being of the brave men and women of our Armed Forces, especially:

**LT. COL.** James E Weaver, Jr., **LT. COL.** Molly J Weaver, **SGT.** Nicholas Irvin, **CPL.** Michael Teeter, **PFC** Brandon Glunt, **CPL.** Matthew Little, Joby Lanzendorfer, Jordan Greene, Adam Duraso, **MAJ.** Obadiah Ritchey, **MSGT.** Travis Lanzendorfer, Ron Unpingco, Sr., **SGT.** Jimmy James, **SPC.** Mary Augst, **CPT.** Jesse Greene, Robert Michael Findley II, **PVT 2** Xavier Garner, William Troutwein, Matthew Rentz, Joshua Rentz, Jesse Clark, **PFC.** Noah Worley, USMC, **AMN** Brandon Claar, Scott Chirdon and his dog who is working in the bomb-sniffing unit in Iraq. To add/delete a name in the bulletin, please call the rectory office at 695-3413 or drop a note in the collection basket.



## PRAYER REQUESTS

Many of you use Prayer Chains as a way of asking for prayers for friends and loved ones. I recently received this request from one of our parishioners and wanted to pass it on. **Anyone who would like to have their request listed in this column, please contact the rectory office.**

Miriam Himes is requesting prayers for her family.

Nancy Ball is requesting prayers for her grandson, Ian Ball.

Doris Benton is requesting prayers for her son, Ken, for a speedy recovery.

Family requesting prayers for Christine Stachmus.

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### *Stewardship Reflection: Solemnity of Our Lord, Jesus Christ King of the Universe*

*This feast is needed more than ever for all people and especially as the Christian stewards we claim to be, in the year 2021. It reminds us of three vital truths. First, even when it seems the world is spinning out of control, we need not fear because we have a King of kings who is very much in charge and who is loving, merciful and just. Second, if Christ is king of all, then He is also king of me, personally. I am not “lord” of my time, talents, and treasure. He is. Third, as His disciple, I am called to imitate my King. Christ’s kingship is characterized by humble service, by emptying Himself for the good of others.*

*The Scriptures tell us He went about doing good and He says of Himself, “I came not to be served but to serve.” How can I live in any other way than as a humble servant like my King?*



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